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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated August 17, 2001, be extended for one month until November 17, 2001.

Check No. 123510 in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed herewith for payment of the fee associated with this Petition, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178. Triplicate copies of this sheet are enclosed.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178 for the fee associated with this Petition, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

Dated this 13 day of NOVEMBER, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,



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